Plan for Distributed Key-Value Store using RPC/RDMA

1. Project Structure

• Components:

- 1. Shared map on Shared memory implemented using Boost C++ libraries.
- 2. KV Manager with RPC implementations (Server, Client, Handles/Engine).
- 3. RDMA integration for remote communication.
- 4. Control plane with Hash function to distribute the data to compute nodes.
- 5. CMake files for building and compiling the project.

• Directory structure:

- 1. /src: Contains source code files with the components mentioned above.
- 2. /include: Includes necessary base class implementations or libraries.
- 3. /common: Configuration files, system or any general purpose files.
- 4. /build: Used for the executables after compilation using CMake.
- 5. /docs: For detailed documentation of the project.
- 6. /scripts: Contains scripts used to run the processes.

2. Local and Remote Access Implementation

• Local Access:

- 1. Implementation of classes that allow clients to access data directly from the shared map.
- 2. Shared memory access should provide efficient read/write operations for the process running on the local node.

• Remote Access:

- 1. Implementation of RDMA procedures with RPC to handle remote access between nodes using KV manager.
- 2. Set up of the necessary RDMA logic and protocols to call relevant server/client operations remotely.
- 3. Ensuring that the system supports seamless remote access with minimal latency using RDMA.

3. Build and Configuration

• CMake Setup:

- 1. Using CMakeLists.txt files in respective directories to facilitate the build process.
- 2. Maintaining a Build folder to have all the executables after compilation.
- 3. CMake for managing build dependencies and ensuring cross-platform compatibility.

4. GitHub Workflow

- Version Control: Maintaining GitHub repository with branching workflows.
 - 1. Main branch: Only stable code is merged here after testing.
 - 2. Feature branches: For experimenting or developing new features.